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Jas. Houlehan Advances the Theorectical Principle.

INGENIOUS INVENTION

In Ordinary Alluvial Deposits of Gold Its Value Cannot be Overestimated. The Opinion of a Well Known Mining Engineer as to Its Future.

A new theoretical principle is involved in an invention just patented by James Houlehan, an inventor. It is that under certain circumstances gold, silver, copper and the rest of the nonmagnetic metals are attracted by an electro magnet. Up to the present time it has been supposed that iron, nickel, cobalt, manganese and chromium, with a few of the raw metals, were alone attracted of the raw metals, were alone attracted to a magnet, while gold, silver, copper, lead, mercury, zinc, bismuth and a few others were slightly repelled. Mr. Hou-lehan claims to have made the startling discovery that by the use of an armature opposed to the magnet these nonmag-netic metals will be attracted instead of repelled.

This fact was pronounced by Profess-

or Seeley of the patent office at Washington to be a new law of magnetism.

In order to get the greatest practical ntility from his new discovery, Mr. Houlehan has embodied the principle in a

magnetic ore separator.

In the ordinary alluvial deposits of gold, where the pure metal is found mixed with sand, its advantages cannot be estimated. As no water is required to operate the machine, large fields of gold, such as these in the desert regions of California and Arizona, that have een left untouched on account of the lack of water would become highly productive. In fact, one mining engineer of note expressed himself of the belief that the new invention would revolu-tionize mining.—Chicago Tribune.

IS SHE DEAD?

Doctors and Undertakers Puzzled Over a

When Mrs. Dred Dominy of East Hampton, N. Y., died recently, prepara-tions were made for an elaborate funer-al, but when the undertaker arrived and looked at the body he returned his emp Jooked at the body he returned his empty coffin to the wagon and refused to bury the body. He said she was alive.

A clergyman read the funeral service, on the conclusion of which Mr. Dominy

said that until convinced that his wife was dead he would keep her in the house "all summer, if necessary," he said, and he added, furthermore, that he was not afraid of dead folks

Undertaker Thompson said he had never in a practice of 28 years known a similar case. There were few evidences of death on the body, and the common

est indications were absent est indications were absent.

Mr. Thompson has had Mrs. Dominy's
body placed close by a steady coal fire,
and on the seventh day after her supposed demise she still looked unchanged

and gave no signs of physical change.

Mrs. William Wallace Tooker, wife of Dr. Tooker of Sag Harbor, examined the body, and reports that when she opened Mrs. Dominy's mouth it shut to

of itself, and that when the face was wrinkled up the skin would immediate ly resume its proper position. The body is still perfectly free from rigidity.

WHY SHE WABBLES.

Mother Earth Has Been Constantly Get ting Off Her Trolley.

It appears from the statement of Pro fessor John K. Rees, astronomer to Co-lumbia college, New York, that the earth has been wabbling in most reckless fashion for thousands of years, al-though it has only just now been caught in the act, and that the lines of latitude, which look so straight and permanent on the map, have been moving north and south to keep up with the ec-centricities of the disagreeable planet.

Owing probably to the variation of weights on the earth's surface, due to the movement of ice and water, the earth's axis varies, and that of course causes a shifting of latitudes. It is as if nature took that big skewer, the north pole, out of the place where it stands and put it in another spot 30 or 40 feet away. Then the parallels of latitude, which go like hoops around the earth and mark the distance from the pole to the equator, have to move likewise. This has been suspected, but only now has the case against the earth been fully proved .- New York World.

Portugal Is Wiser Than Spain.

Portugal has granted local autonomy to the Azores, and the blue flag of the little nation will bear a white hawk with nine stars, one star for each is land. The population of the Azores is nearly 300,000, and Portugal wisely concluded to grant them home rule rather than attempt to govern them at the point of the bayonet on the plan adopt-ed by Spain in Cuba.—St. Louis Globe-

To Perpetuate the Indian Religion

A. J. Blackwell, a rich and erratic Indian, who owns the cities of Blackwell and David City, in the Indian Territory, has decided to build a temple in David City to cost \$300,000. He wishes in this way to perpetuate the Indian re ligion.—New York Tribune.

When They Are Not Wanted.

M'KINLEY'S SOLILOOUY.

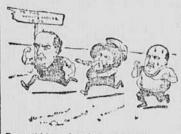
Expects to Win In the Race to the White House—Onward to '961

House—Onward to '961

Scene—The governor's room in the capitol at
Columbus, O. A delegation of Stark county
farmers standing around, hat in hand. They
want a heavy duty put back on wool. Governor McKinley rises and addresses them
briefly, telling them he is at heart a farmerlike themselves; that their hope is in the Republican party. "And you are the Republican
party's hope," says Farmer Ephraim Higgins
as he bows them out.

"All things to all men," that's my motte

here— Corneobs unto farmers; unto brewers, beer; To tron miners, pigs; to fat pork packers, hoge; Nater to abstainers; unto log rollers, logs, Bland and persuasive, oily, blunt or frank, The people's William bows to every rank,



For well I know I am but acting now On this small stage what later. I'll allow, Will be my part when, grown supremely great. I'll turn my back upon the Luckeye Satte And stalk in triumph through the White House

Where now Grove Cleveland weeps his party's tricks

And shudd'ring walts his doom in ninety-six

[His private secretary announces six delegations in the antercom. The governor frowns.

Give me ten minutes ere I face that band, Wreathing the "con. smile," reaching "the glad hand,"
For at this moment, spite of all my art,
I sure would freeze them with "the marble heart."
Like Coxov's army, they come here in droves. Hungry alike for lishes and for loaves.
Lure them afar, give them the handshake warm.

warm,
Tell them what working wonders I perform—
Enough a dozen governors to kill,
Drawing besides a new McKinley bill,
Wherein protection, rampant, broad and full,
Shall tax all things, including foreign wool—
Whatever other states or nations grow
Which might compete with O-hi-o.

[The private secretary retires. The cowhide boots of the delegates are heard transping away. The governor takes out his banjo, throws his right leg over his left and sings.]

Give me a quart of water cold, or read my title clear

To a Bourban sour or a julep flower and hark
to what you'll hear.
I 'listed in the army to battle my way to fame.
But the war stopped short before it ought, so
I couldn't work the claim.

Says I, I am a soldier, but there's something

Says I, I ma a soldier, but there's something else I know

To tickle the car and raise a cheer in the state of O-hi-o.

It is always to smile, to shout and to blow

The mea and the women of O-hi-o.

The rich and the poor, the high and the low—
To cry, Oh, Ohio and O-hi-o!

Ohio's full of brainy men who always reach the top.

Ohio's full of brains here to the top,

So here's a brace, for I'm in the race, and I ain's agoing to stop.

I've been in congress long enough, writing my name M. C.,

And as for a Buckeye governor, henceforth it

or little short tog Ben and canter I It pass poor little short leg Ben and canter 'neath the wire.

In a burst of speed I'll distance Reed and make his fat perspire.

And gayly I'll yawp, and proudly I'll erow All over the country and O-bi-o.

Then into the White House triumphant I'll go, With a whoop for Ohio and O-bi-o!

[Starts in alarm. Cowhide boots are heard upproaching. Hides his banjo, gives his foreook a cowlick and stands expectant.]

it don't always go by sheer merit, or I Should have long ago fingered the plums in

the pie.
Where Hayes made his hen roost and Ben hung his hat

his hat McKinley can surely put bells on the cat And show old John Sherman the place he is at. For the lord of Ohio what can they all do, From Michigan's warhorse to Chauncey De

pew? It is true that the nation once shied at my bill, And a seed many may hate what is left of it

still.

It is true that I once took a tumble from Neal,
But Ohie stood by me—the hand of the leal—
Its gallant upholder, its favorite son,
Its elequent imper, its son of a gun,
Who fights with both feet, who's a model of

Photographers fighting for shots at my face, While scalptors and painters rush hither and you Crying, "He's got the head of Na-po-le-on."

(Runs to his desk, pulls out a cocked hat, puts it on Honaparte fashion and stands pat.) Star of Marengo! Sun of Austerlitz! My frown would frighten Tom Reed into fits. I am Napoleon, star led chief whose eye



Doth lure the lurid lightnings from the sky. Whose thunder tones the dome of heaven

reach—
That's pretty good. I'll put it in a speech—
At whose behest Queen Victory will start
And lead to glory Buckeye Bonaparte.
A cinch! A lead pipel Suro popl That's my fix.

Onward, McKinley, on to ninety-six!

[Door opens. He conceals the cocked hat. Enter a delegation of Cincinnati hard men. He stvances, smiling, and begins, "I am a pork sacker at heart," etc. j—Once a Week.

Not Without Precedent,

If, as Representative Bland declares, money question is to be the overshadowing issue in the next presidential campaign, it will not be the first instance of the kind. The canvass in Man is the most worthless thing on which the pivotal state of Indiana was earth during the spring cleaning season. which the pivotal state of Indiana was Why not let him take a vacation?— sue of "crisp \$2 notes" was a notable wheeling Register.

Why not let him take a vacation?— sue of "crisp \$2 notes" was a notable case precedent.—Philadelphia Record.

"CONJURE BONES" WANTED

Ghouls Desecrate a Grave to Get Bones for Dice.

THE CULPRITS WERE ARRESTED

The Case Has Attracted Considerable Attention on Account of Its Novelty. The Corpse Was in a Good State of Preservation and the Ghouls Frightened

Several weeks ago it was announced that the grave in which Sarah Barlow, an old negress, was buried two years ago at Post Oak Church, Miss., had been desecrated. Recent developments have led to the arrest of three young colored men for the crime.

It turns out that these ghouls were

not after money or hidden treasure, but that they were longing after "conjure bones," and bones out of which to man ufacture dice, which are currently reported among a certain class of ignoran-

negro "crap shooters" as invincible. The story goes that when they dug into the grave and found the corpse in such a good state of preservation, notwithstanding it had been buried nearly two years, they took fright and ran

The case has attracted considerable at tention on account of its novelty. It is possibly the first one of its kind ever tried in the state. The colored population are manifesting no little interest in the affair, as most of them have a mor-tal dread of "conjure bones" or any-thing pertaining to the "black art."— Cincinnati Enquirer.

DIVIDED BY A SKUNK.

Seventeen Queer Charges In a Suit For

Sarah E. Gould, in a petition for diforce from Chessman D. Gould of Leeds Me., specifies 17 charges, among which is that, to annoy her, her husband plac-ed a dead skunk in her clothes closet. Other charges are that he threw a spittoon at her; that he seized the dishes upon the table and violently broke them; that he turned the flour barre bottom side up in the pantry and the flour upon the floor; that he angrily broke the sewing machine; that he shov d dirt on the floor she was washing that at times, instead of buying sugar for the family, he bought it for himself and kept it locked up and brought it to the table for his own use; that while the family were without soap he kept soap for himself locked up in his own room; that he told her that it would be the happiest day in his life when he could dance over her grave; that he habitually kept his room locked, so that she could not enter it .- New York World.

A Hot Summer Coming.

Sergeant Dunn, the New York weather expert, says that we may expect a hot summer, according to the rule of temperature averages. He shows that there has been a deficiency of 286 degrees since Jan. 1 and declares that "the weather is bound to even up."— St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Bessie Knew.

The other day at the Teachers' associa-tion a class of children, ages from 5 to 9 years, were giving an exercise in phonics. The teacher had recoved correct answers ot descriptions she had given of trees, woods, etc., and then thought she would describe a brook.

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"What do we find running through the woods, moving silently on the ground, with but little noise?" she asked.

For a long time the little ones were quiet, and then a little hand was raised.

"Well, Bessie, what is the answer?" the teacher questioned smilingly.

"Tramps," piped out the little one.—
Newark Advertiser.

witte Seckwear. It is a relief to see the white neck-wear for women again. Some of it came over from Paris last autumn, but now the shops are full of it. It is not the stiff, starched linen collars and cuffs this time, but one thickness of the finest lawn or muslin, and the collars and points are edged with narrow lace frilled full, making very feminine lingerie. -Newport News.



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